REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register:	11 September 2001
Name of applicant/court:	Comptroller of Customs
Applicant to the Labelling Body:	Not Applicable
Title of Publication:	Teenyland Young & Nasty 8
Other Known Titles:	Teenyland Young & Nasty #8
Director:	Not Applicable
Producer:	Not Applicable
Publisher:	Not Stated
Author:	Not Stated
Format:	Magazine
Country of Origin:	Germany
Languages:	English, French, German, Spanish, Dutch
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Components of film originally exam	nined: Not Applicable.
Feature:	Running time:
Trailers:	Running time:
	Total running time:
Excision/Alteration: Not A	Applicable.
Reason(s) for Excision:	
Not Applicable.	

Classification Decision:
Objectionable.
Display Conditions:
Not Applicable.
Descriptive Note:
Not Applicable.
Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The magazine entitled *Teenyland Young & Nasty 8* also known as *Teenyland Young & Nasty #8* is classified as: Objectionable.

The magazine tends to promote and support the exploitation of young persons for sexual purposes.

Although all of the participants are clearly over 18 years of age, the title of the publication clearly intends to encourage the reader to associate sexual activity with young teenage girls. The setting and accessories associated with young persons that appear in the sequence *Nympho Treat* indicate that youthfulness is intended to be a strong element of arousal for the viewer. Similarly, the use of the name 'Lolita' in association with images of two men and a woman of youthful appearance engaging in sexual activity is clearly intended to legitimise sexual activity between young persons and adults. What little text accompanies the images describes the women as sexually experienced and, when viewed in a context where youthfulness is an element of arousal, gives the impression that young girls are not only appropriate sexual partners for adult males but that they are also sexually promiscuous.

The criteria applied by the Classification Office resulting in the limit on the availability of this publication are prescribed by law. For the reasons given above, this publication tends to promote and support an activity listed in s3(2) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993, thus deeming the publication objectionable. A classification of "objectionable" places a limit on the right to the freedom of expression as set out in s14 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990. However, in relation to this publication, the classification is considered to be a reasonable limit prescribed by law that can be demonstrably justified in a free and democratic society.

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